

# House Amendment 8578

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1 1 Amend the Senate amendment, H=8568, to House File  
1 2 2302, as amended, passed, and reprinted by the House,  
1 3 as follows:  
1 4 #1. Page 26, by inserting after line 8 the  
1 5 following:  
1 6 \_\_\_\_\_. MORATORIUM FOR ISSUANCE OF LICENSES FOR  
1 7 GAMBLING GAMES == REQUIRED FINDINGS FOR WAIVER OF  
1 8 MORATORIUM. Commencing with the effective date of  
1 9 this section of this Act, and notwithstanding any  
1 10 provision of chapter 99F to the contrary, the racing  
1 11 and gaming commission shall not issue any new license  
1 12 to conduct gambling games on an excursion boat or at a  
1 13 pari-mutuel racetrack until the commission, by  
1 14 majority vote of all members of the commission,  
1 15 affirmatively authorizes the awarding of new licenses  
1 16 to conduct gambling games and concurrently adopts  
1 17 written findings that awarding new licenses is  
1 18 justified despite the socioeconomic costs of gambling,  
1 19 if any, as determined by the socioeconomic study of  
1 20 gambling required by this Act. The commission shall  
1 21 not vote to authorize the awarding of new licenses to  
1 22 conduct gambling games until at least thirty days  
1 23 after the legislative council makes the report on the  
1 24 socioeconomic costs of gambling available to the  
1 25 public and the commission.>  
1 26 #2. Page 29, by inserting after line 21 the  
1 27 following:  
1 28 <\_\_\_\_\_. The section of this Act establishing a  
1 29 moratorium for issuance of licenses for gambling  
1 30 games, being deemed of immediate importance, takes  
1 31 effect upon enactment.>  
1 32 #3. By renumbering as necessary.  
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